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FORWARD IN NORTHERN FRANCE AND FLANDERS

ALLIES TRYING TO RELIEVE STRAIN ON RUSSIANS IN THE EAST

EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND BRITISH TROOPS AIDING THE THREE MILLIONS IN THE FRENCH AND BELGIAN ARMIES

Paris, March 13.—Two of the greatest armies that have ever been gathered together in the history of the world, face each other along the battle front of western Europe. A steady stream of British troops has been pouring into France all week, and together with the French reservists, now well trained in the arts of modern warfare, are moving toward the front.

It is estimated that there are 800,000 British soldiers in France now, whose task it will be to keep the Germans back from the coast.

At the north the British have taken a strong offensive, hoping to force the Germans to evacuate Lille. The activity is also increasing along the coast. A force of Belgians took a field fort from the Germans.

ATTACKING NEAR AUBERS

London, March 13.—Continuing their advance from Neuve Chapelle, the British in northern France are attacking the Germans near Aubers, where over 600 Germans have been taken prisoners.

British airmen dropped bombs over Don and Donai, destroying the railway station.

OCCUPIED AUBERS

Paris, March 13.—The British captured a thousand Germans and occupied Aubers, taking many German trenches. The Belgians have assumed the offensive, repulsing the Germans. It is unofficially reported that the British are bombarding Lille and the Germans are preparing to evacuate.

BIG PLANT BURNED

Detroit, March 13.—The Detroit Foundry plant burned this morning. The loss is around \$100,000.

GIRLS WITH BEAUTIFUL

AMERICAN GIRLS HAVE A WORLD-WIDE reputation for beauty, but at the same time there are girls in our cities who possess neither beauty of face nor form, because in these instances they suffer from nervousness, the result of disorders of the womanly organism. At regular intervals they suffer so much that their strength leaves them; they are so prostrated that it takes days for them to recover strength.

Of course, such periodic distress has its bad effect on the nervous system. The withered and drawn faces, the dark circles and crow's feet about the eyes, the straight figure with those curves which lend so much to feminine beauty are the unmistakable signs of womanly disorders.

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, when women pass through the change of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances.

At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the entire female system perfectly regulated and in excellent condition.

Mothers if your daughters are weak, lack ambition, are troubled with headaches, lassitude and are pale and sickly, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is just what they need to surely bring the bloom of health to their cheeks and make them strong and healthy.

If you are a sufferer, if your daughter, mother, sister need help get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form. Then address Dr. Pierce, Invalid's Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive confidential advice from a staff of specialists, that's free; also 136-page book on women's diseases sent free.

Miss Cora Lee Hamrick, Magnolia and tenth street, Sanford, Fla., says: "For a woman's troubles as well as nervous enervation and depression, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, is the best remedy that I know of. After being treated by many physicians without doing me good, it certainly was the one thing needed to bring about the restoration of my health. It made me take on flesh, brought back color to my pale, thin cheeks and gave me more blood. I knew of your medicine from other members of my family, all of whom cannot speak too highly of it, and it was the only medicine that made a well woman of me."

Smoke Cuban Club, 5c Cigar.

THAW ACQUITTED

OF CRIMINAL CHARGE, SANITY MUST NOW BE DECIDED

New York, March 13.—Harry Thaw and his co-defendants were acquitted today on the charge of criminal action in escaping from Matteawan Insane Asylum. The jury brought in a verdict shortly after the noon hour. Thaw has been returned to the Tombs pending a decision on the motion that he be returned to New Hampshire.

DRIVEN AWAY FROM THE DARDANELLES

TURKS CLAIM TO HAVE SEVERELY WORSTED THE ALLIED FLEET

Constantinople, March 13.—The defeat of the allied fleet in the Dardanelles and the sinking of three mine sweepers and a transport was announced today. The enemy was forced to withdraw.

SPRINGTIME

(Contributed)

It is the time when nature's great heart is glad and she calls to her children, the toiling sons of men, and bids them learn again the wondrous lesson of the season. With cunning magic she lures us from the desolate scenes of winter's reign and wakens hopes within our souls. She adds a heightened touch of gold and a deeper glow of warmth to the sunshine, she sets a hundred tiny warblers atune and they pipe their mating song the whole day long. Violets lift their tender faces and the air is heavy with incense poured from the breaking hearts of a thousand flowers. The world is full of bloom—the world is full of song.

If there were no springtime how weary life would be! If nature, the great wise teacher did not year after year, when the wintry wind and the blasting frost have gone away, hold aloft the banners of hope—if she did not with wondrous and infinite patience weave into the days the dainty colors of the springtime, the tuneful rhythm of bird and bee and shower, the tender whisper of bursting bud and the brave venturing forth of young leaves, green beneath their silvery armor, would we have courage for life?

Let us open wide the doors of our souls and flood all the gloomy places with the glorious scented breath of spring. Let us abandon ourselves to the impulses of joy that are welling up within us, renewing our lives and making ourselves strong for the road that winds away toward the hills of the future—untroubled yet are its ways by the foot of man and none may know what tests of strength wait us there. Let us march to the piping of birds and the throbbing pulse of a waking world, laughing and gypsying as we go. And should the days grow weary and we droop with the coming of winter, let us turn back the pages of our souls to such days as these and look again for the coming of spring.

When Jesus was on earth it was his usual custom to go about doing good. Why not visit the North Ocala Sunday school and do likewise. sat-ff.

People who trade with the Rexall stores get best quality in everything. Gerig's. 18-ff.

Business is always good at Gerig's, because it is the Rexall store. 18-ff.

First of the season—Pabst excellent "bock" beer on draft at Johnny's. tf

SHARP DEMAND

ON MEXICO FOR PUNISHMENT OF ASSASSINS OF McMANUS

Vera Cruz, March 13.—A sharp demand for the punishment of the soldiers who killed John MacManus, the American, and defied the United States flag in Mexico City, was presented to General Salazar, the Zapata leader, last night by an attaché of the American embassy, now with the Brazilian legation. The demand, it is reported, came directly from Washington, and was ordered by President Wilson.

PYTHIANS IN PALATKA

Mrs. Fannie Anthony returned last evening from Palatka, after a visit of four days. She was sent as a representative to the Grand Temple by the Pythian Sisters of Ocala Temple No. 28. Palatka gave the Knights and Sisters a warm reception and did everything possible to make their visit pleasant, with receptions, musicals, dances, theater parties, movies and auto rides. Everyone was kept on the go from morning to early morning. Work came first and pleasure between working hours. The parade given by the Knights was fine, costumes queer but not beautiful.

Frank Wetherbee was the only Knight from Ocala who was invited (by force) to ride in the procession. His toy wagon was decorated with legs and feet and was pulled by a poor little measly black goat that was ashamed to look up. Frank held a large stick of candy in his hand, given him as a prize for being a bum driver. He drove all over the street, from side to side, and kept everybody busy running out of his way. He seemed to be very happy.

Charlie Goddard looked cute in his new red pants. Every sister cheered him as he passed but he could not take time to raise his cap, he was so busy watching Judge Gober pulling the camel. That camel sure was wise. It kept an eye open looking for Tompkins and George Rentz. They were so frightened they kept with the crowd and were ready to pull Frank Wetherbee's hair for not inviting them to ride on the goat. When they heard Koonce of Ocala, was there, they made a scot for the Putnam House. The last time they were seen was at the dinner table on the boat coming home. They were still pale from running.

MURDER AND HOMICIDE

OCCURRED AT WAYCROSS

Waycross, March 13.—Going on a rampage after a minor quarrel, Henry Beatenbaugh with a shotgun killed W. H. Hunter, seriously wounded Samuel Brady and suicided at Dickinson thirty miles west of today.

Globe-Wernicke cabinets and safes at The Murray Company. 12-3t.

RUSSIANS WERE DRIVEN ACROSS THE RIVER

FRENCH SEVERELY REPULSED IN THE VOSGES AND BRITISH HELD IN CHECK IN FLANDERS

Berlin, March 13.—The Russians who were defeated in the region near Augustowo are retreating behind the Bobr river and under the guns of Grodno.

The Russians were repulsed north-east of Przasnysz. Heavy reinforcements of British troops arriving at LaBasse caused the Germans to abandon their efforts to recapture Neuve Chapelle. Three English aviators were brought down in this vicinity.

The French, attempting to resume the offensive in the Champagne region, were repulsed with heavy losses. In the Vosges mountains fog and snow are hindering operations.

DRESDEN ISN'T DEAD

CAUGHT A BRITISH SHIP OFF THE CHILEAN COAST

Valparaiso, March 13.—The crew of the British bark Conway Castle arriving here on a Peruvian vessel, reported that their ship was sunk by the German cruiser Dresden off the Chilean coast at Port Corral.

SERGIUS WITTE

Russia's Greatest Statesman Has Passed Away

Petrograd, March 13.—Count Sergius Witte, aged 66, Russia's greatest statesman, died today.

BRITISH TRANSPORT WRECKED ON AFRICAN COAST

Bordeaux, March 13.—The British troop transport Montrose has been wrecked off the coast of western Africa, near Bura.

WILL PUT TEN THOUSAND MEN TO WORK

Chicago, March 13.—Ten thousand unskilled laborers will be put to work on the railroads operating out of Chicago as soon as the frost is out of the ground. The roads are planning extensive improvements.

The delegates to the Knight of Pythias convention at Palatka returned via the Daylight route and were especially pleased at the treatment accorded them by the officers of the company on the way. The menu served at dinner was one long to be remembered and the delegates are high in their praises of the service aboard the vessels of the Silver Springs Transportation Company.

WEATHER REPORT

This report is made from observations taken daily by Mr. F. G. B. Weihe, official observer for the government.

	Max.	Min.	R.F.
March 1	56	46	..
March 2	65	37	..
March 3	62	51	..
March 4	72	56	..
March 5	72	52	.89
March 6	70	48	..
March 7	60	44	..
March 8	54	36	..
March 9	60	28	..
March 10	65	45	..
March 11	70	45	..
March 12	68	48	..

Local rains tonight; Sunday partly cloudy.

SUPRISE IN STORE

A MOST PLEASANT EVENT AT THE CHAUTAUQUA THIS EVENING

There will be a great surprise and a pleasant treat for those who attend the Chautauqua tonight. A solo by one of Ocala's fairest singers.

A SUCCESSFUL FISHING TRIP

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ditto and Mr. Pacetti, in Mr. Kirkland's car, went over to Lake Bryant on a day's fishing and picnic trip. They caught more fish than they could bring home with them and had a fine day's sport. Mr. Ditto says Mr. Pacetti is one of the most skillful fishermen he has ever seen and those desiring to excel in the sport should ascertain what methods he uses.

"EVERY MEMBER PRESENT"

The above caption is the motto of the Methodist Sunday school for tomorrow. Every member is urgently requested to be on hand and bring a visitor or prospective member. The business men's class has pledged itself to as far as possible make good the motto.

TWO KILLED WHEN THE HANNA HIT A MINE

London, March 13.—The Swedish steamer Hanna struck a mine or was torpedoed and sunk off Scarborough today. Two were killed.

Mr. B. F. Borden, Ocala's popular assistant postmaster, has bought a home for himself and family in Magnolia Place. Mr. Borden bought the pretty little cottage that Mr. Harry Booher was building and while the house is not finished, Mr. Borden will complete it as rapidly as possible.

Mr. Moses Philbrick, who built a six-room cottage in Palmetto Park, near Dr. F. E. McCane's home, will leave next week with his family for his former home in Rye Beach, N. H., and has placed his cottage on the market for sale.

Among the appreciative attendants at the supper given by the Bellevue Workers last night were Secretary Rooney and Dr. Weaver. Mr. Rooney made an excellent talk, which was listened to with deep interest.

Mrs. H. H. McDonald, after a visit to Miami, is again in the city, the guest of her son, Mr. J. D. McDonald.

Gen. W. J. Ralston of the Good Samaritan Army, with headquarters in Detroit, Mich., is in the city for the purpose of establishing the work of his organization in Ocala. His object is the establishment of a day nursery and mission house. They will also hold street services. Major and Mrs. C. L. McClish will have charge of the Ocala mission, and as soon as the nursery is established Mrs. Gable of the Japanese tea garden will have charge of same.

Easter cards, The Murray Company.

ADMIT GERMANS HAVE ADVANCED

RUSSIANS WEST OF NIEMEN HAD TO RETIRE

GAINS OF GERMANS IN POLAND, HOWEVER, MORE THAN OFFSET BY AUSTRIAN LOSSES IN GALICIA

Petrograd, March 13.—Fierce attacks by Gen. Von Hindenburg's army west of the Nieuman river has compelled the Russians to retire slightly and assume the defensive. Heavy German reinforcements suddenly appeared at Augustowo.

The battle from Przasnysz to the Narew and Bobr rivers continues without decisive result.

Minor German gains in Poland are more than offset by Russian successes in Galicia. The Russians have recaptured Lupkow and Smolnik.

SHATTERED A BRITISH SHIP

TURKISH SHELLS LAND HEAVILY ON THE TRIUMPH

Athens, March 13.—The British battleship Triumph was damaged by the Smyrna forts during the recent engagement. The allied fleet destroyed a bridge near Dardanus, on the Dardanelles. Three British ships bombarded the Turkish forts: Kilidbahr and Crimikh, in the Dardanelles, last night.

WANTED—Position by competent bookkeeper. The best of references. Address, W. B. Dye, 209 Orange avenue, Ocala, Fla. 13-6t.

Dr. J. Walter Hood's new office telephone number is 284, 15-ff.

Mr. E. A. Carlisle of Newberry, S. C., has been a visitor since yesterday, combining pleasure with business.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mayo came up from Summerfield this morning, to visit Mrs. Mayo's father, Dr. Newsum.

All varieties of seed corn; also millet and sorghum, now in and for sale by the Ocala Seed Store. 5-ff.

Mr. R. S. Hall returned home yesterday afternoon from a business trip to Atlanta, Jacksonville and other places.

Mr. Passut, steward on one of the Daylight Line passenger boats, is out again after a week's illness.

Mr. R. T. Adams, proprietor of the Harrington Hall, is out attending to business again after a week's illness.

On Saturday and Monday, 17 pounds of sugar for \$1, with one dollar's worth of other groceries, for cash. Smith Grocery Co. Phone 434, tf.

The most complete line of high grade toilet articles in Ocala may be found at our store—reasonable prices prevail too. The Court Pharmacy, 6t.

When you think candy, say Nunnally, and when you say Nunnally come to Gerig's.

SENT MORE SHIPS

GREATEST FLEET WORLD EVER SAW NOW POUNDING AT THE DARDANELLES

London, March 13.—Although the battleship fleet pounding at the Dardanelles is already the greatest armada ever drawn together in the history of the world, six more warships joined the international fleet yesterday bombarding Smyrna.

The Turkish report that two minesweepers and a transport had been sunk is denied here. The damage to the battleship Triumph was slight.

CAFETERIA SUPPER

The ladies of the Christian church will serve a St. Patrick's Cafeteria supper Wednesday evening, March 17th, from 6 to 9:30 o'clock at the armory. A liberal patronage is solicited and visitors in the city are especially invited and will be welcome. The menu will include: Baked ham, turkey and dressing, potato salad, fruit salad, potato chips, baked beans, brown and white home-made bread, pickles, cake, ice cream, coffee, tea, cocoa. tf.

Editor Straub of the St. Petersburg Times and Mrs. Straub passed thru Ocala today from Palatka on their way home.

Miss Mary Connor went to Lake Weir this afternoon, for a Sunday visit at home.

Mr. A. B. Turner has returned from a business visit to Jacksonville.

Dr. W. V. Newsom's friends will regret to learn that he is not so well today.

Another smart little boy has arrived at the home of Mr. James Goin in the Shady Grove section.

The county judge has issued a marriage license to Mr. Lewis K. Runnells and Miss Verda Simpson.

Louis H. Chazal went to Gainesville today on business for his company.

Mrs. F. M. McClure of Shelbyville, Ky., is expected Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bunyan Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Bennett and young son leave the first of the week for their orange grove in South Florida to spend several weeks.

SEE THE FARM on the Silver Springs road which furnishes the Merchant's Cafe every day with fresh vegetables, milk and eggs. tf.

Try one of those frosted pints of Pabst's Blue Ribbon at Johnny's. tf.

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